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1. STATUS OF [REDACTED] MISSION IS THAT STAGING TEAM HAS BEEN
 WITHDRAWN FROM [REDACTED] AND MISSION TEMPORARILY POSTPONED. REASONS
 AS FOLLOWS:

A. MISSION ACFT SUSTAINED COMPLETE ELECTRICAL FAILURE AT
 [REDACTED] WHEN RETURNING FROM [REDACTED] TO REPAIR HYDRAULIC LEAK
 EXPERIENCED AFTER ARRIVAL FERRY FLIGHT. COINCIDENT INVESTIGATION
 INTO REPAIR DC GENERATOR FAILURE EXPERIENCED BY [REDACTED]
 CONDUCTED BY LOCKHEED DISCLOSES SIGNIFICANT NUMBER OF DC GENERATOR
 IN SUPPLY PIPELINE WITH BELOW SPECIFICATION DRIVE BEARINGS COMPLICATED
 BY COATING WITH UNQUALIFIED HIGH TEMPERATURE GREASE.

B. MANUFACTURER DECLARED ALL GENERATORS THUS EQUIPPED
 TO BE NON-OPERATIONAL AND SINCE COMPLETE GENERATOR TEARDOWN

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REQUIRED DETERMINE DRIVE BEARING TOLERANCES, ONLY SHORT MISSIONS AND TRAINING FLIGHTS HAVE BEEN APPROVED FOR EXECUTION WHERE ACFT CAN RETURN TO BASE UNDER VFR CONDITIONS AND WHERE FLIGHT ROUTE DOES NOT EXTEND MORE THAN 1.5 FLYING HOURS FROM SAFE TERRITORY.

C. MANUFACTURER PLANS HAVE AVAILABLE BY 2 MARCH SUFFICIENT QUALIFIED DC GENERATORS PERMIT ~~KNE~~ THEIR INSTALLATION IDEALIST ACFT FAR EAST. ANTICIPATE SECURITY COURIER WILL MOVE OUT TO [REDACTED] AND POSSIBLY [REDACTED] OVER WEEKEND HAND CARRYING THESE ITEMS. BECAUSE OF DELAY AND CONTINUED POSSIBLE EROSION MISSION SECURITY [REDACTED] DECISION MADE WITHDRAW STAGING PARTY.

2. REQUEST [REDACTED] EXPRESS TO [REDACTED] HQS SINCERE APPRECIATION HIS WHOLEHEARTED COOPERATION [REDACTED] MISSION. AS SOON AS FULL OPERATIONAL STATUS REGAINED AND WEATHER PERMITS WILL ACTIVE PURSUE [REDACTED] AGAIN. ALSO GREATLY APPRECIATE SUPPORT [REDACTED] STATION

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